

BRITISH AND FRENCH LAUNCH BIG JOINT DRIVE

NO GAME TODAY BECAUSE RAIN HITS NEW YORK

THOUSANDS GATHERED EARLY FOR BIG GAME MEET DISAPPOINTMENT

PLAY TOMORROW AND THURSDAY

Fans Must Wait One Day Longer Before World's Championship Is Decided.

(Associated Press Leased Wire)
Polo Grounds, N. Y., Oct. 9.—Rain, a heavy downpour from the northwest, caused a postponement of the third act of the world series drama between the Chicago White Sox and New York Giants here today.
Fifteen thousand spectators of the kind whose courage the two defeats of the National league champions did not diminish, braved the bad weather and were disappointed not when just before 1 o'clock the official announcer megaphoned that the contest was postponed.

The games scheduled for today and tomorrow will be played at the Polo Grounds tomorrow and Thursday.
Friday's game at Chicago will be moved to Chicago and in case a sixth game is necessary it will be played at the Polo grounds as originally arranged, Monday, Oct. 15.

FORMER DIXON MAN DIED AT TRIUMPH

CHARLES BUSHEY PASSED AWAY AT AN EARLY HOUR SUNDAY.

W. H. Bushey of route 7 received a telegram Saturday telling of the serious illness of his brother Charles at Triumph, Ill., and left at once, but his brother passed away before he reached his bedside, dying at 6 a. m. Sunday, from a paralytic stroke that occurred 24 hours before his death. He was 44 years of age. Dixon was his home ten years ago and many friends here regret his death.

He is survived by his wife, a child and three sisters: Lillie Bushie, Rochelle Shaw, Charles Krehl, Spencer, Ia., and Mrs. Walter Johnson, Mitchell, Ia., and two brothers, W. H. of this city and Alvin of Los Angeles. Three brothers preceded him in death.
Funeral services were held today at 2 p. m., at Triumph.

POPULAR COMPOSER IS HERE

Mel B. Kaufman Visited With Dixon Friends Today.

Mel B. Kaufman of New York, the composer of the popular dance hits, "Step With Pep" and "Listen To This" was a visitor in Dixon today, and while here boosted his latest fox trot "Yah-de-Dah." Mr. Kaufman is bubbling over with catchy melodies, which he will incorporate in the new dance selections and songs, and he promises some great hits within a short time. In fact, next month's Victor records will have three of his tuneful compositions which are now being put into print.

TO BORROW SEWING MACHINES

Dixon Red Cross Is In Need of Two Machines Immediately.

The sewing committee of the Dixon Red Cross is greatly in need of the use of two sewing machines and an appeal is made to the public for their loan. It is thought there are at least two women in Dixon who will gladly donate the use of their machines to this worthy object and anyone feeling inclined to honor the appeal is asked to notify Mrs. M. J. McGowan, phone 810, and arrangements will be made to get the machines.

LECTURING BARON MOVES ON

The Baron Dr. De Orgler, who was advertised to deliver a lecture on war topics at a local theatre last night and tonight, has left town, going west on a morning train today. The theatre management cancelled his engagement after the first performance last evening.

The man says he is an Austrian of noble blood, and formerly an officer in the Austrian army.
Secret agents of the U. S. government were in Dixon yesterday and it is said the Austrian was the object of their investigation.

ANOTHER DISCHARGE REVOKED

Harry Beckingham of This City Held for Service.

The Lee county exemption board has revoked the certificate of discharge issued to Harry Beckingham of Dixon, serial No. 1565, order No. 358, and he has been certified for service to the district board.

JED SHAW PASSED AWAY IN NEW YORK

BROTHER OF LATE B. F. SHAW DIED THIS MORNING OF PNEUMONIA.

Relatives in Dixon received a message today telling of the death of Jed Shaw, brother of the late B. F. Shaw of Dixon, at the home of his daughter, Mrs. S. F. Holtzman, in Hastings-on-Hudson, New York. Mr. Shaw died this morning, of pneumonia. The funeral will be held Wednesday afternoon.

Jed Shaw was born in Waverly, N. Y., and came to Dixon to join his older brother, B. F. Shaw, when he was about ten years of age. He spent much of his youth here, and when the civil war broke out he joined Company A of the 13th Illinois Volunteers, and served through the war. Jed Shaw was a typical American volunteer. He was loved by the members of his regiment, as he was loved all through his life by everyone that knew him. For many years he was an employe of the government printing office at Washington, D. C., but retired several years ago. At the time of his death he was past eighty years old.

Jed Shaw is survived by his loving wife, Emma Shaw, three children, Mrs. Maude Holtzman, Charlie Shaw and Jed Shaw, Jr., and one sister, Mrs. Devine of California. A sister, Mrs. Ellen Smith, and two brothers, Benjamin F. Shaw of Dixon and Alonzo Shaw of Tipton, Ia., preceded him in death.
In the death of Jed Shaw a noble, lovable and splendid soul has gone to its reward.

MASONIC ELECTION OF GRAND OFFICERS

MASONS IN CHICAGO GIVE UNQUALIFIED SUPPORT TO WAR.

(Associated Press Leased Wire)
Chicago, Oct. 9.—Mason of Illinois today registered unqualified support of the war in resolutions passed by the grand lodge at the opening session of the 78th communication here today. The 900 lodges in the state were represented by about 2000 delegates. The following officers were elected:

Grand Master—Austin H. Scogin, Lexington.
Junior Grand Warden—Arthur E. Wood, Gibson City.
Senior Grand Warden—Elmer E. Beach, Chicago.
Grand Treasurer—LeRoy A. Goddard, Chicago.
Grand Secretary—Isaac Cutler, Camp Point.

It has been announced that Governor Lowden will address the Communication Thursday.

NEPHEW KILLED BY CAR

Mr. and Mrs. S. Mahen returned last evening from Chicago where they went to attend the funeral of their nephew, Donald McDonald, who was killed last Thursday evening by an automobile running over him while he was playing in front of his home on Archer Ave. He was but nine years of age. He formerly lived in this city.

OLD POLE TAKEN DOWN

The old flag pole which has been suspended from the cornice over the entrance to the court house since the structure was erected, was this morning taken down, the base having rotted so by the weather that it was unsafe.

BROUGHT HERE FOR BURIAL

The five year old child of Mr. and Mrs. Will Steel died at its home in Chicago yesterday and was brought to Dixon today for burial.

A Way to Test the World.

There is one way for every man to determine for himself whether the world is growing better or worse. All he has to do is to ascertain whether the number of people who agree with him is increasing or diminishing.—Houston Post.

J. M. Bateneider was in Sterling today.

CHURCH IMPROVEMENT MORE THAN PAID FOR

ST. PAUL LUTHERAN HAD HAPPY ANNUAL MEETING ON MONDAY.

CHURCH REPORTS ENCOURAGING

Various Organizations of the Church Show Good Progress Has Been Made.

As a result of the reports submitted at the annual meeting of the congregation of St. Paul's Lutheran church Monday evening every member of that church today feels unlimited pride in the accomplishments of the organization, for among other things it was shown that the recent improvements to the church property had been more than paid for by the voluntary subscriptions, a balance of \$11 remaining.

An interested company of people gathered to hear the reports and receive the information needed for continued good work in the church. After a short devotional service the officers of the different organizations of the church gave their statements. They were in the main encouraging and indicated progress. A brief summary will suggest the character of the service performed.

The Sunday School.
The Sunday school reported an enrollment in all departments of 475, with offerings for the year of \$1024. The Woman's Missionary society with 54 members contributed \$248, and the Ladies Aid society's offering totaled \$301.

The church reported 480 communicant members, with benevolence offerings for the past year of \$3621, and the grand total for all purposes, \$12,321. Almost half that sum was for repairs on the church building. The members feel happy over the result of their efforts, which have given them a very comfortable and attractive church property in the heart of the city. Four officers were re-elected last evening.

Pastor's Report.

Dr. F. D. Altman, the pastor, reported that he had just finished another of seven years in the ministry and he had given to St. Paul's of Dixon one-fifth of the time he had served in the sacred calling. He said that whatever the future might disclose, the last cycle would always be to him full of precious memories. From the beginning of his pastorate here until the present he has received the most kindly consideration from the congregation and the people of the community. For all these evidences of appreciation he expressed thanks.

MRS. ADAM VAUPEL DIED LAST NIGHT

PASSED AWAY AT HOME SOUTH OF ASHTON—ILL. TWO YEARS.

Mrs. Adam Vaupel died last night at her home south of Ashton. Mrs. Vaupel had been an invalid for two years and death comes as a relief from her suffering. The many friends of Mrs. Vaupel and her family unite in extending sympathy to the bereaved relatives.

The funeral will be held from the Lutheran church in Ashton, but the day and hour has not been set.

DEATH CUT VISIT VERY SHORT

Iowa Man Passed Away Soon After Greeting Sister.

Freeport, Oct. 8.—The visit of Chas. Rippenberger of Ackley, Ia., to his sister, Mrs. Mary Brace of Ridout township, was cut short by death. After greeting his sister and dining with relatives, Mr. Rippenberger became suddenly ill and in less than an hour after entering the home he passed away.

For a Headache.

A throbbing, pulsating head will often feel relieved on the application of a cold compress. A foot bath, too, will aid, as it draws the blood away from the head. If neither of the above remedies avail, try applying hot and cold cloths alternately to the back of the neck.

An Evasion.

"Insofar as my circumstances permit," qualifies the housewife's pledge to conserve food. It is a neat evasion of the shorter and uglier "it the cook permits."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

SERVICE STATION FOR COMPANY M AT TELEGRAPH

BUREAU TO FACILITATE TRANSMISSION OF PACKAGES ESTABLISHED.

RELIEF CAR LEFT THIS MORNING

Fifty-five Blankets and Twenty Sweaters Were Sent To the Soldiers.

To facilitate the transmission of articles to the Lee county boys of Co. M, 342nd Infantry at Camp Grant, the Evening Telegraph today announces the establishment of a Co. M Service Bureau at this office.

Everyone who has anything for any of the boys at Camp Grant is asked to make free use of this Service Bureau. Simply leave packages here with the name of the soldier to whom you wish them to be delivered.

To aid in this work the Telegraph urges that all people of Lee county who are planning an auto trip to the camp at any time call at this office and take a package or two along. In this way all parcels for the boys will be promptly delivered right to the soldier for whom they are intended.

The call for blankets and sweaters published in the Telegraph last evening brought a ready response. At 10:15 o'clock this morning, as a result of the appeal in this paper Monday.

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LICENSE SKATING RINKS IN DIXON

CITY COMMISSION FIXES LICENSE AT \$30 PER YEAR FOR RINKS.

MUST BE CLOSED SUNDAYS

Council Also Permits Grand Detour Plov Company To Move Switch Tracks.

The members of the city commission met in regular session this forenoon, and among other things, passed an ordinance which requires operators of roller or ice skating rinks run for amusement, to take out amusement licenses, which will cost \$30 a year.

Further provisions of the ordinance prohibit the occupation of the rinks on Sunday, require the management to maintain good order in the rink, and also give the management power to prohibit persons from congregating or standing about the entrance, in the lobby, or on the walk within fifty feet from the entrance to the rinks.

Switch Track Permit.

The council also passed an ordinance which gives permission to the Grand Detour Plov Co. to construct a switch track from the C. & N. W. railway on Ninth street, easterly on Ninth street and across Depot avenue to the plov factory buildings. The ordinance requires the company to keep the highway crossings of these tracks in good condition at all times.

The company's new factory buildings, recently erected, make it necessary for the Grand Detour people to change the location of the present switch tracks to a point a short distance south.

COMFORT FUND CONCERT SEATS

The seat sale for the Comfort Fund concert, to be given Friday evening at the Dixon opera house by Strong's College of Music, will be open tomorrow morning at Campbell's Drug Store. All seats will be 25c and will be reserved with no extra charge. Get your seats early.

TO FT. BENJ. HARRISON

Sgt. Bert Stitzel has been transferred from Jefferson Barracks, Mo., to Ft. Benjamin Harrison, Indiana.

THE WEATHER

Tuesday, Oct. 9.
(Associated Press Leased Wire)
Somewhat warmer in south portions, Wednesday partly cloudy and slightly cooler.

Sunday	58	35
Monday	57	29
Tuesday	47	31

Y.M.C.A. CAMPAIGN FOR MEMBERS NOW ON

"ENDURANCE RUN" WAS GIVEN FINE START AT BANQUET MONDAY EVENING.

CHICAGO MAN GAVE ADDRESS

Gathering Was Exceptionally Happy As Men Prepared For Great Contest.

The Y. M. C. A. Membership Auto Endurance race started with a good swing and lots of enthusiasm last evening at the opening banquet. The Ladies Auxiliary of the Y served a substantial supper which helped put the men in good humor. During the evening the workers sang songs, parodies and others provided for the occasion which extolled the merits of certain teams to the detriment of others. Frequently the proceedings were interrupted by song as one team and then another took to the music.

Chicago Man Spoke.

Mr. Wolcott of Chicago, state boys' work secretary, spoke on the place of the Y. M. C. A. in a community, and said that in his years of service in the Y. M. C. A. he had learned it was not a money making proposition and never would be. Its work was to help create a wholesome and helpful environment and community atmosphere that would conserve the boys and the young men of the community. Parents are not concerned with what they become of their children when they are in school, but it is the use of leisure time that is fraught with possibilities of good or evil. Large companies employing boys now ask "Where does he spend his leisure time?" and are awake to the fact that this is important. Another large service Y. M. C. A. is performing is to make possible the army work. Thru the associations of the U. S. money is raised for the work and trained men succeed to direct it. Since the U. S. has entered the war 2200 secretaries have been recruited and put to work and before July, 1918, 2300 more will have to be found to do army work.

The workers selected their prospect cards and went out to begin work. They are to report tonight at a 6:30 supper when they will give distances made in the first day's run.
One of our local business men has in his possession a junior card good for one year's membership. The first boy that asks for it gets it free. Every day this week one card will be given away in that fashion.

TO PLACE NEGRO ON TRIAL TOMORROW A.M.

MATT GOODWIN WILL ANSWER CHARGE OF ATTEMPT TO KILL.

The first criminal trial of the September term of circuit court will be called tomorrow when Matt Goodwin, colored, will be placed on trial for alleged assault with intent to kill, as indicted by the grand jury.
Goodwin is the negro alleged to have drawn a gun on Chief of Police Van Bibber several months ago when the officer attempted to place him under arrest. States Attorney Edwards will prosecute and Attorney W. G. Kent will appear for the defendant.

EXPECT BIG CROWD AT BALL

Knights of Columbus Landing Day Dance Friday Evening.

The committee in charge of the annual Landing Day Ball of the Dixon Council, Knights of Columbus, which will be held at Rosbrook hall Friday evening, is assured of one of the largest attendances that has ever marked any of the Knights' social affairs. The Marquette orchestra will furnish the music for the affair and word received from other nearby cities promises good representation from them.

TO ATTEND CONVENTION

Supervisors Joseph Bauer, Kyle Miller, Wm. Brucker and Jas. Buckley and County Clerk Dimick went to Joliet this morning to attend the annual convention of county officials of the state.

Beginning Early.

Dorothy, who is seven, must have heard some elder lamenting the lost days of youth. After a hasty breakfast, curtailed by a disposition to sleep late of mornings with barely time enough to reach school and studies before the tardy bell, she saw her younger sister and brother skipping off to a long May day's enjoyment in the big yard and exclaimed: "Oh, for the days of five!"

LICENSED TO WED

A marriage license was issued yesterday to Marvin L. Olsann and Miss Rose E. Hammond, both of Amboy.

Mathematics Practical Art.

Whatever may be said of mathematics as a "whetstone of the wits," or as a mental discipline, the fact remains that the chief vitalizing factor of the subject is found in its practical uses. Historically speaking, much of our advanced mathematics as well as most of our elementary mathematics sprang as a necessity out of very practical conditions.—Exchange.

The Disturber.

An automobile is most apt to get something wrong with it when the driver gets his tank too full.—St. Paul Pioneer Press.

HOME FROM BROTHER'S FUNERAL

Rev. E. C. Lumsden Unable to Attend Rock River Conference.

Rev. E. C. Lumsden, pastor of the Methodist church, returned last night from attending the funeral of his brother in Canada. Because of the illness and death of his kin, Rev. Lumsden was unable to attend the Rock River Conference at Belvidere.

DR. OWENS ORDERED TO COLUMBUS, OHIO

LOCAL SURGEON, A MEMBER OF U. S. MEDICAL RESERVE, TO REPORT.

Dr. E. B. Owens of the U. S. Medical Reserve, this morning received orders from the war department to report as soon as possible for active service at Columbus Barracks, Columbus, O., and as soon as he can close up his professional business here and make arrangements for the future care of his patients he will leave to serve the colors. He has been a member of the Lee County Exemption Board, and accordingly it will be necessary for the Adjutant General to appoint a surgeon to succeed him.

MRS. ANDERSON TO BE BURIED AT OAKWOOD

FUNERAL WILL BE HELD AT THE ROBT. ANDERSON HOME WEDNESDAY.

The funeral of Mrs. Katherine M. Anderson, wife of James T. Anderson of Minneapolis, Minn., who passed away at 11:35 a. m. Monday, at the home of Robert Anderson, 812 Third street, will be held there at 2 p. m. tomorrow, with burial in Oakwood cemetery.

Mrs. Anderson was born in Council Bluffs, Ia., May 26, 1862 and is survived by her husband, four sisters and two brothers: Mrs. Elizabeth Harrington, Milwaukee, Mrs. Mary Collins and David W. Thomas of Detroit, Mrs. I. H. DeVol of Walnut, Admes R. Thomas of Omaha and Miss Nellie G. Thomas of Evanston. Mrs. Anderson's parents were pioneers of Pottawattomie and Monan counties, Iowa.

HAYDEN HAS HYMN ABOUT PASSION POSY

DIXON MAN HAS MADE MIGHTY STORY OF THE BEAUTY BLOSSOM.

Donald F. Hayden, a lover of flowers and an authority on plants and their medicinal values, brought to this office two full blown blossoms of the rare and beautiful Passion flower, and the following descriptive letter accompanied them:

Passion Flower (Passiflora pfordii), the name originated from the resemblance afforded by the parts of the plants to the instruments of Christ's crucifixion, passion or suffering and its attendant circumstances; thus the stigmata represent the two nails for the hands and one for the feet, the five wounds are indicated by the anthers; the crown of thorns by the rays of the calyx; the parts of the perinth represent the apostles, two being absent (Peter and Judas the betrayer). His prosecutors' hands are seen in the tendrils. With correct cultivation and conditions the flower grows saucer size. There are various varieties and colors of this valiant vine and the white grows in the southern wild woods.

The medicinal member of the famous family is Passiflora incarnata, a concentrated tincture or fluid extract obtained from it and administered in cases of insomnia and nervous affections, bring real, royal rest when other remedies fail. These precious plants, beside being beautiful to behold and superlatively supreme in scientific study, are intelligently interesting and instructive.

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ALLIED ARMIES START PUSH IN UNISON TODAY

FRENCH AND BRITISH BEGIN OFFENSIVE EARLY TODAY

STRUGGLE CONTINUES

"Satisfactory Progress" Is Report of British War Office.

(Associated Press Leased Wire)

London, Oct. 9.—The British attacked on a wide front northeast and east of Ypres this morning, the war office states. It says "the attack was made in conjunction with our allies."

In Poelcappelle.

British Front in France and Belgium, by Associated Press, Oct. 9.—The British have pushed back the Germans thru Poelcappelle and are fighting in the eastern outskirts of the city about a large brewery.

Strong Resistance

Just north of Broodseinde at Daisywood, the Germans held out strongly. The British surrounded the wood and hot fighting followed.

French Forge Ahead

Paris, Oct. 9.—French troops on the Belgium front at 5:30 this morning attacked in conjunction with the British army, German positions south of Houtholst forest. The French official statement of today says the struggle continues and is developing favorably for the French arms.

Advance 1200 Yards.

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The French were reported fighting some 1500 yards beyond their original front line. They had taken several hundred prisoners.

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by not serving too much to each person

SERVE INDIVIDUAL PORTIONS.
A pound makes 48 one-third ounce pieces.

Hotels have learned
that there is the least waste
from one third ounce pieces.



MADRAS CLINGS TO WAYS OF EAST

INDIA PROVINCE, THOUGH CIVILIZED, HOLDS TO HINDU WAYS AND CUSTOMS

Training of West is Powerless to Eradicate Beliefs.

Madras is the heart of the real India.

There is a tendency on the part of travelers and writers to overlook the presidency, because it has few of the more striking and romantic features that are found in the north—the dangers of the frontier, the intrigues of the native Rajput princesses, the continually bubbling cauldron of strife between Hindu and Mohammedan. Madras is pure Hindu, which is to say pure Indian of the oldest times.

It is a tradition in India to treat the Madras province as something of a joke. Civil and military officials in the north wrestling with sterner problems of intrigue and revolt, are inclined to look down on them. It is an insult to tell a Sikh trooper that he drills like a Madrassi. All this, however, is simply the result of the settled prosperity of Madras.

Things there are past the experimental stage. Agriculture, administration, education, transportation, have all been worked out to a fine point, leaving the officers and the progressive classes of natives to spend their time working out advance ideas and systems at which the rest of India laughs. Yet Madras is too rich and powerful in an economic way to be laughed at much.

Here you touch the old Hindu east. Side by side with the grafted culture of Europe that the native picks up with a superficial facility, and side by side with his own thousands-of-years-old oriental civilization, still flourish a hundred old superstitions and customs that the west cannot but regard as barbarous. They are a part of the east, and the English are powerless before the passive resistance that the native opposes to any attempt to change them.

There are tales of human sacrifice still carried out secretly in remote mountain districts; it is known to a certainty that the superstitious practice of swinging a man by hooks from a tree to insure a good harvest is still carried out. Women still kill themselves on the death of their husbands, the lines of caste are drawn as hard and fast as they were five centuries ago; a Brahmin is still defiled if the shadow of an outcast passes over him.

Madras is not disorderly, but it is stubborn in these matters with an oriental stubbornness. And the disconcerting part of it all is the fact that these revolting practices are not the customs of barbarians, but of a highly civilized people who have gone as far on their own road as Europe has gone on hers.

AGED MINISTER STEALS BIBLE TO BUY A MEAL

Too Proud to Beg, Starving in Street at 79, Former Preacher Falls From Grace.

Los Angeles, Cal.—An old man—79 years of age and a minister of the gospel—turned thief because he could withstand no longer the gnawing pangs of hunger.

In his downfall he turned to the best friend he had had in other days when from his little pulpit in England he had urged salvation—a Bible. He stole a holy book that he might sell it for food.

The Rev. Percival P. Stone, who says he once occupied a pulpit in a small hamlet in England, stood before a First street lunch house craving food. He had eaten nothing for twenty-four hours. His years made his hunger hard to bear.

Once or twice he started to beg the price of a sandwich and then his determination failed him. He sauntered along. A book store at First and Broadway caught his eye. For a moment his hunger was forgotten as he stopped to look over some old books. A Bible caught his fancy. It was an old-fashioned affair, of the kind in which family histories were written.

The old man slipped the ponderous book beneath his coat and started out. He was headed for the lunch house when Detective King detained him.

At police headquarters he confessed. He simply said that he was too old to

find work, that no one would employ him, that he was hungry and that he had hoped to sell the book for food. He was sorry and he knew that it was wrong.

They sent him to jail, but before locking him up he sat down to the best meal he had eaten in many a day. He refused to discuss his past further than to say he had lost his church some years ago and had wandered about ever since. He was unmarried, he said.

HEN FLIES INTO TREE WHEN READY TO LAY

Jersey Doctor's Fowl Is Good for an Egg a Day, but It's a "Scrambled" One.

Washington, N. J.—Dr. Thomas L. Dedrick of this town has become convinced that there is but little advantage in learning the ways and wiles of animals. For, as he says himself, as soon as one knows all about some of them along come some more that one never even has considered, and their peculiarities change the whole trend of one's interest in animal life.

Dr. Dedrick has been in the Arctic many times and is authority on polar bears, walrus and seal. However, the present obsession of his usually well balanced life is a hen that hasn't the vaguest notion of how to be one. She has laid and "sunk without warning" one hundred eggs, and the physician's farm hands are dizzy from their effort to save one yolk out of the weekly output.

When she is ready to lay an egg she flies into the highest branches of the nearest tree. Any one passing under the tree is immediately disquised as an omelet, and if no one is passing the egg merely explodes in spectacular fashion for the scatter brained hen's amusement.

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NEGROES EMPIRE GOES ON ROCKS

DISEASES OF AFRICA DECIMATE "KING SAM'S" LEGION

Steamer Which Carried U. S. Blacks Over Towed Back in Face of Great Odds.

Brooklyn, N. Y.—How an American negro's dream of an Ethiopian empire in Africa became a nightmare was related here when the steamer Liberia arrived at the end of an 800-foot towline.

Two years and eight months from the day it lifted anchor, the ship was home again, and "King Sam" and those of his followers who escaped drowning and disease were scattered among the villages of the west coast of the continent of their ancestors. "King Sam" himself, according to officers who were sent out to bring the ship home, has married the dusky stenographer he took with him and has had himself elected "omahin," chief of a village in the "bush" where he lives, clad in one garment, and does a small business buying and selling cocoa beans. His "empire" consists of a tiny group of African natives living in mud huts in the jungle.

The Liberia came in towed by the Zealandia, a ship of the Universal Transportation Company, after a message that in itself was one of the great romances of the sea. When the Universal company, in scouring the seas for ships with which to carry the wealth creating cargoes that followed the beginning of the war, learned that King Sam's ark was lying deserted off the African coast, they offered, it is said, a prize of \$55,000 to any one who would go out and bring it back the six thousand miles to Brooklyn.

Wrecking and towing companies, whose business is to take hazards in salvaging ships, and even mushroom navigation companies ready for almost any wild adventure from which money is to be gained, passed the offer by.

Eventually the C. W. Morse, a wooden tug, started out on the long trip loaded with less than half enough coal for the voyage.

In October the Zealandia drew up beside the rusty "ark" off Animaboe and toward the end of the month the long return passage, which took fifty-five days, began. Captain Miller and his chief officer stayed on the Liberia with a crew of seven "Fantees," coal black surf men from a neighboring African settlement, who wore one small blanket and no shoes, and who were so lazy that "a hookworm is chain lightning beside them," according to one of their white superiors.

The long return passage was

made in almost perfect weather and that, according to an officer on the Zealandia, was the only thing that saved the ship in tow.

As the ships came northward the "Fantees" began to suffer with the cold. In November the ships stopped at Barbaros for coal and there clothes were obtained for the natives. They donned them for comfort and not for modesty's sake, but, on their arrival here, they covered with two and three suits apiece and wearing head coverings all the way from leopard skin caps to bath towels, they could not endure the shoes.

In port here curious seafarers wandered over the Liberia's deck tracing from what they saw the story of "King Sam" and his voyage back to the land of black men, and they found the ship a veritable historical museum of the undertaking.

Sam's "Holy Room" was the star exhibit. A little twelve-foot room aft of the saloon it was, where Sam was said to have secluded himself when he withdrew from the rest of the company for "meditation." Outside the door hung a sign lettered in gilt with the word "Holy." On the wall hung a crude oil painting of a landscape, in the background of which were roughly drawn red roofed houses and near them three crosses against the sky. Above them all were the strange words:

"Whi Onyankopong Guama." And underneath the cushions of the seats about the wall in curious proximity, mildewed, were a white robe and an ironbound "billy club" which looked as if Sam might have held it in reserve to influence his followers when exhortation failed.

In the saloon, backed against the wall, was an upright piano, the life of many a clog dance and many a "meetin'" on board, but today capable of voicing only a muffled tunk-a-tunk-tunk.

Near the piano a circle of a double thickness of Hileum had been worn thru by heels of clogging darkies, and all around the wall in front of the seats were jagged marks where heels had stamped the tempo in the floor. On the same seats were scraps of hymnals and inscribed with names of the colonists and the home towns in Oklahoma and Kansas which they had left behind.

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sons add Dixon. Isaac J. Berry to Dora Chick wd \$2000, lots 1 and 2 blk 3 Harpers add Pawpaw.

NACHUSA

Sunday morning at the regular service the Holy Communion will be administered. The last before the meeting of Synod.

Rev. King returned from the East last Thursday leaving his mother about the same.

The nominating committee of the Sunday School met Monday evening in the Sunday School room of the church.

The Church Council met Monday evening.

The choir will meet Friday evening.

The Standtogethers Sunday School class met at the home of Mr.

Glenn Dysart Tuesday evening.

The Loyal Gleasons Sunday School class held an all day meeting at the home of Miss Emma Elcholtz Wednesday. A delicious scramble dinner was served at the noon hour.

Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Osbaugh and

Mr. and Mrs. George Weidman

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Wilhelm and son

Roy and daughter, Miss Bernice, and Mrs. J. C. Hoff, Samuel Hoff and Edgar Hoff and Mr. Walters, of Iowa, were among the number from Nachusa who motored to Rockford to visit Camp Grant Sunday.

Mrs. B. Bates of Dixon came out to visit her mother, Mrs. Beightel Thursday evening.

Mrs. Mary Spangler was the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Harry Cur-

rens Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Shenk and chil-

dren of Chicago are visiting at the

G. R. Emmert home.

Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Weidman and children and Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Weidman were guests at the Raufus

Weber home northwest of Sterling Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. August Johnson re-

turned home from a very pleasant visit with friends and relatives in the northern and western states Thursday morning.

Mrs. Fanny Bossemeyer and Mrs. Mollie Marteeny were in Dixon Tuesday.

Mr. Rdy Lillibridge of Wilcox, N. Dak., spent Wednesday with his grandmother, Mrs. Mollie Marteeny.

Miss Olga Brown of the Chicago Road was a guest of Mrs. H. Smith and Mrs. T. Bossemeyer Monday at-

ternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Miller drove to

Dixon Saturday evening.

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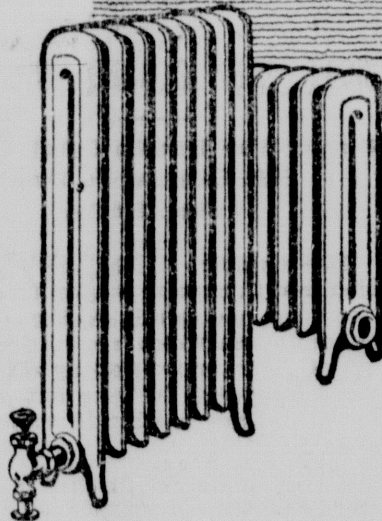
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SOCIETY

Tuesday

U and I Club, Mrs. David Ditzler.
Add Wednesday calendar.
Ideal Club Meeting, Mrs. H. L. Fordham.
Current Topics Club Luncheon, Mrs. Louis Bryan.
W. C. T. U. Mothers' Meeting, Mrs. Abbie Pitcher.
Legion of Moose, Moose Hall.

Wednesday

G. A. R. Circle Sewing, Mrs. G. M. Massen.
Missionary, Mrs. Tobias Switzer.
W. C. O. F. Social Meeting, Mrs. John Fitzsimmons.
Kingdom Bend Aid Society, Mrs. Charles Hanson.

Thursday

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Friday

St. Paul's Missionary, Mrs. Henry Skinner.
C. C. Circle, Mrs. Charles Ruggles.
St. Agnes Guild, Mrs. Louis Bryan.

Saturday

St. Ann's Guild, St. Luke's Church.
Woman's Club, Miller Hall.

Ends Visit Here

Miss Gertrude Bradfield, of Ontario, California, who has been visiting with Miss Emma Slaughter, left Monday morning for Chicago, and from there will go to Milwaukee and Minneapolis, later returning to her home at Ontario.

Your Lad and My Lad

Down toward the deep blue water, Marching the throb of drum From city street and country lane The lines of khaki come; The rumbling guns, the sturdy tread, are full of grim appeal While rays of western sunshine Flash back from burnished steel. With eager eyes and cheeks aflame The serried ranks advance; And your dear lad, and my dear lad, are on their way way to France.

A sob clings choking in the throat, As file on file sweep by. Between those cheering multitudes, To where the great ships lie: The batteries halt, the columns wheel, a clear-toned bugle call. With shoulders squared and faces front they stand a khaki wall. Tears shine on every watcher's cheek, love speaks in every glance; For your dear lad, and my dear lad, are on their way to France.

Before them, through a mist of years, in soldiers' buff or blue, Brave comrades from a thousand fields watch now in proud review; The same old flag, the same old Faith—the Freedom of the World—Spells duty in those flapping folds above long ranks unfurled.

Strong are the hearts which bear along Democracy's advance. As your dear lad, and my dear lad, go on their way to France. The word rings out; a million feet tramp forward on the road, Along that path of sacrifice o'er which their father's strode. With eager eyes and cheeks aflame, with cheers on smiling lips, These fighting men of '17 move onward to their ships.

Not even love may hold them back, or halt that stern advance, As your dear lad, and my dear lad, go on their way to France. Returned to Rockford Mrs. Herbert Nichols and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Stitzel accompanied to Rockford Sunday morning Herbert Nichols who came home on Saturday on a brief furlough.

Sunday in Sterling

Mr. and Mrs. Phil Woollever were guests Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. David Talty in Sterling.

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Is Apprenticed Seaman Apprenticed Seaman Sydney M. Neighbour of the Great Lakes Training Station spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Neighbour. Sydney speaks highly of the accommodation and care of the prospective sailors by Uncle Sam.

With Sister Mrs. W. L. Willard, of Galveston, Texas, spent the past week with her sister, Mrs. H. Halsted, of 905 W. Second street.

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With Franklin Chapter

Officers and past patrons and matrons of Dorothy Chapter, O. E. S., spent a delightful evening Monday as the guests of Garnet Chapter, O. E. S., Franklin Grove, which held its first meeting that evening in its new hall. The new hall is very attractive and much roomier than the one formerly occupied. Garnet chapter officers are highly complimented by the Dixon guests who state that the putting on of the work was very nearly perfect. Mrs. Banker is worthy matron of the chapter and has a very efficient corps of officers. In addition to the regular lodge work a program of music and readings was given. Mrs. Adolph Eichler of this city giving a reading and each of the visiting past matrons and patrons were called upon for brief talks. A bounteous supper was served during the evening. The Dixon ladies and gentlemen entertained have the highest praise for the entertainment given and hope that they may be given the opportunity to be guests of the Franklin lodge again.

Those going from Dixon were Mrs. Mark Keller, Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Leake, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Fry, Miss Ethel Leake, Mr. and Mrs. Max Eichler, Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Eichler, Mr. and Mrs. Rodney Ayres, Mr. and Mrs. W. Woolley, Mrs. W. C. Dwyer, Miss Gertrude Castle, Miss Alma Moeller, Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Cooling, Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Staples, Mr. and Mrs. Mark Brown, Miss Emma Brown, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Quick, Miss Gertrude Youngman, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Snice, and Mrs. Glenn Coe.

Walton Club Meets

The Domestic Science Club of Walton will meet Thursday of this week in the Sociality rooms of St. Mary's hall. The club women are packing a box to be sent to the station township boys stationed at Camp Grant and anyone of Walton township who desire to send something to relatives or friends at the camp may bring their gift to the club rooms that day and they will be packed, whether articles of clothing, baking, canned fruits, or jellies. The box will be sent to the company captain and he will attend to the distribution. Articles designed for any particular soldier boy should be tagged with his name. The members are to take up the Red Cross knitting at this meeting under the supervision of Mrs. Charles Welby.

Guests from Polo

Mrs. George O'Dair and Mrs. Ross O'Dair, of Polo, were guests on Monday of Mrs. Harry Hines.

Visited State Park

Mr. and Mrs. F. X. Newcomer and son, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Countryman and son, Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Rowland, and Mr. and Mrs. E. H. English visited Starved Rock Sunday, making the trip by automobile.

To Starved Rock

Mr. and Mrs. J. U. Wexant and family drove to Starved Rock Monday.

At Mrs. Miller Home

Mr. and Mrs. Orville Miller and family were guests at the Mrs. Louisa Miller home on Sunday evening. During the afternoon Edw. Miller and son Ted were also callers.

Sunday with Polo Friends

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Johnson and son Kenneth and Mrs. Mary Otto drove to Polo Sunday and visited at the Alfred Piepher home.

Visited in Rockford

Miss Pauline Brass returned last evening from a visit with relatives and friends in Rockford.

To Smith's Park

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Bartholomew and a few friends celebrated the former's birthday on Sunday by driving to Smith's Park near Mt. Carroll.

Picnic Dinner at Oregon

Mr. and Mrs. J. Howard Beam, Miss Carrie Smith, and Mrs. and Mrs. Frank Porman enjoyed a picnic dinner near Oregon on Sunday, making the trip by automobile.

G. A. R. Circle Sewing

The Ladies of the Grand Army Circle will meet with Mrs. G. M. Massen, 224 Dement Avenue, on Wednesday for an all day sewing session for the fall bazaar. A scramble luncheon will be served at noon.

Meet Earlier Tonight

The Women of Mooseheart Legion will meet at Moose hall this evening at 7:30 instead of 8 o'clock in order to give those practicing for the minstrels as much time as possible.

To Chicago

Mrs. B. I. Hitchcock and Miss Jean leave tomorrow for a few weeks' visit in Chicago.

C. C. Circle to Meet

The C. C. Circle will meet with Mrs. Charles Ruggles, 911 Highland Avenue, on Friday afternoon.

Entertained for Birthday

Miss Della Smith, daughter of O. P. Smith of Loveland, Pa., celebrated her twelfth birthday Monday afternoon with a party of which ten of her friends were guests. The afternoon was spent in the enjoyment of music and games. At five o'clock a delicious luncheon was served. Flowers were used in the decorations.

Thursday Reading Circle

The Thursday Reading Circle will meet Thursday with Mrs. A. P. Corbin on Thursday afternoon.

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The woman in the prime of life need not dread to meet the loss of her youth when growing elderly. While some charms diminish, others should replace them—charms of experience, cultivation, wisdom. The great physical changes met between the fortieth and fiftieth year are indeed serious, and are not always well borne. In the strain of modern life, few women are in condition to meet these changes without some apprehension of deranged health. But with the excellent help of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, that old, trustworthy woman's medicine, a woman may confidently expect to enter later life as well and robust as ever.

Stjernan Club Met

Members of the Stjernan club spent a pleasant evening Monday with Mrs. H. A. Brooks. Each of the members had with her some bit of needlework. Mrs. Brooks served delicious refreshments. Besides a large number of the members, one guest was present. It was decided during the evening to assist some needy family by making some winter clothing. The next meeting will be held at the home of Miss Anna Cheate.

Mr. and Mrs. Lou Franks drove to Oregon on Sunday.

W. R. C. Had Good Meeting The Woman's Relief Corps held a very largely attended meeting Monday afternoon. These candidates were initiated and balloted upon. Light refreshments were served during the social session at the close of the meeting. Mrs. Smith, of Green, N. Y., was a guest.

At H. Quick Home Mr. and Mrs. Byron Herbert of Belvidere were entertained this week-end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Quick. Mr. Herbert participated in the Knights Templar parade.

Unity Guild The Unity Guild will meet with Mrs. Weibezahn on Thursday at 2:30 p. m.

Visit Nephew Mr. and Mrs. Smith, of Green, N. Y., are guests at the home of their nephew, Ernest Rogers.

Baby Daughter Mr. and Mrs. Humphrey Scott of near Dixon are the parents of a daughter, born October 5th.

Zion Missionary The Zion Missionary will meet with Mrs. Tobias Switzer Wednesday.

St. James Missionary The Missionary Society of the St. James Lutheran church will meet Thursday with Mrs. Della Bauer.

To Sterling Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Moyer drove to Sterling Sunday evening and visited friends and relatives.

St. Paul's Missionary The Women's Home and Foreign Missionary Society of St. Paul's Lutheran will meet at the home of Mrs. Henry Skinner, 507 Chamberlain street, Thursday afternoon, at 2:30. Assistant hostesses are Mrs. Johnson, Mrs. Schuele, Mrs. Schultz and Mrs. Graehling. All ladies of the church are invited.

Spent Month in Chicago Mrs. Sam Watson has returned from a month's visit in Michigan, where she went to get relief from hay fever. Mr. and Mrs. Watson are now occupying one of the O. H. Martin apartments.

Week with Sister Miss Lulu Schuckel of Compton is spending the week with her sister, Miss Della Schuckel, who is one of Dixon's teachers.

Baby Son Mr. and Mrs. John P. Lawrence, Jr., of Palmyra, are the proud parents of a baby boy, born this morning. Mother and baby are doing well. This is their first child. Mrs. Lawrence was formerly Miss Ida Kime of Minnesota.

Visiting in Franklin Mrs. B. F. Sumy, who has been visiting at the home of her brother, Atty. J. O. Shaulis, is now the guest of her sister, Mrs. C. E. Kesselring, of Franklin Grove. She expects to return to her home in Pittsburgh, Pa., on Wednesday.

St. Paul's Mission Band The Mission Band of St. Paul's Lutheran church will hold its regular monthly meeting at the church Wednesday at 4 p. m. Officers will be elected and all members are urged to be present.

To Attend O. E. S. Meeting Mrs. Shaulis attended the meeting of Garnet Chapter, O. E. S., in Franklin Grove Monday evening.

To Mt. Morris W. W. Lehman and daughter, Miss Alice, drove to Mt. Morris Monday afternoon, visiting their son and brother, Samuel Lehman, who is a student at the college.

For Mrs. Willard Dr. and Mrs. Stevens entertained Mr. and Mrs. M. R. Forsyth and Mrs. W. R. Willard of Galveston, Tex., at dinner last evening in honor of Mrs. Willard who is visiting her brother, Mr. Forsyth.

Guest at T. J. Miller Home Dr. G. W. I. Brown, here to attend the Knights Templar conclave, spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Miller.

At A. W. Leland Home Mrs. I. B. Alteruse and daughter, of Kansas City, are guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Leland. Mrs. Alteruse was formerly Miss Muriel Leland.

Dinner Guests Mrs. Bertha Backus and Miss Mary Winn were dinner guests Monday of Mrs. Maximilian Tpdike.

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Howard Grant Kelgwin, of Hamilton township, was a welcome visitor in Dixon today.

Mrs. Wm. A. Morris of Route 4 was in Dixon today.

Miss Katherine Lewis will leave Thursday for a month's visit with a niece in Detroit, Mich.

Their Ambitions. In the city the toiler had just been advanced in salary. "No," he chuckled, "I can begin saving to buy a farm." In the country the agriculturist looked at the check received for his season's wheat. "Another crop or two like this," he mused, "and I can move into the city."

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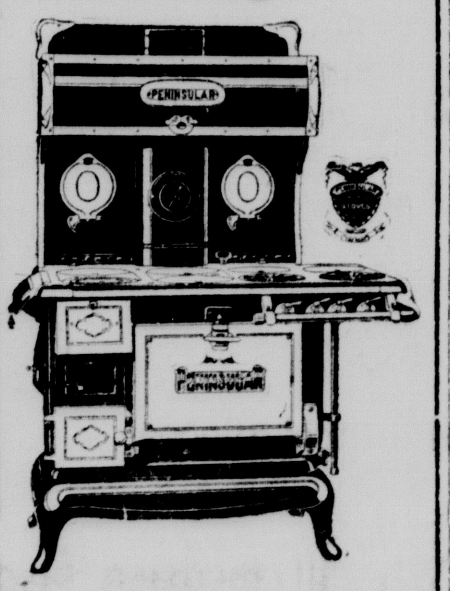
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people of the rest of the nation a worthy example of patriotism and busi-
ness foresight.
If you haven't bought your Liberty bond, get busy, and if you have,
buy another.
This cool weather is liable to produce a high fever among a large num-
ber of the male population—duck fever.

City In Brief

George Hawbecker and Charles Collins were here Monday morning from Franklin Grove.
Dr. and Mrs. E. B. Owens and daughter Katherine drove to Paw Paw Sunday.
Albert Sherman and daughter, Miss Nova, and Mr. and Mrs. Louis Atkins drove to Rockford Sunday.
—All goods sold by Wolf Chemical Co. are guaranteed to give satisfac-
tion. Sold by Prescott & Schildberg.
Frank Robinson, of Freeport, spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Robinson.
Miss Emma Shaulis, teacher of the March school, east of Dixon, shopped in Dixon Saturday.
—Fancy pears for cannin at lowest prices. We pay 38c for strictly fresh pears. Tetrick's grocery. Phone 169.
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J. E. Moyer, Frank Young, W. C. Thompson, and C. G. Albright motored to Rockford Sunday, visiting at the Dixon boys' barracks, and later driving on to Freeport and Damascus. Return was made by way of Freeport.
Edw. Zoeller went to Chicago Monday for a several days' business visit.
Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Schmerda, of 217 E. Second street, have given up their residence there and will take rooms with Mrs. Fred Wohnke, of Crawford Ave.
Mrs. Woolever spent Monday in Chicago.
Mr. and Mrs. Sheffield, of Grand Detour, was in Dixon Monday.
Adam Johnson, of Route 4, was a Monday business caller.
Miss Sylvia Kelly spent the week-end at her home in Woosung.
Mr. and Mrs. John Meurer of East Grove were in Dixon Saturday.
E. C. Williams of Palmyra was in Dixon Monday.
Mr. and Mrs. John Alexander of Amboy were in Dixon Sunday.
Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy Brink were Sunday guests in Dixon.
Mr. and Mrs. John Loftis motored to Ohio Sunday.
Miss Mulkins spent Monday in Chicago.
Henry Seaman and Jacob Zuend spent Sunday with Orville Miller.
"What will stop my hair coming out?" Reply: Parisian Sage is the best remedy for hair and scalp troubles; said to prevent baldness and cure dandruff. Rowland Bros. sell it.
The small home can frequently be heated by one stove. Get Cole's High

Abe Martin--



When it comes t' bein' proud a lit-
tle girl with her first parasol haint in
it with th' driver of a pair o' young
mules. Mame Moon has a nephew in
th' aviation corps. He's a snare drum-
mer with a fly-by-night circus.

DEPOSIT YOUR FUNDS
With This Bank
whose affairs are guided by a strong Board of Directors, many of whom are known to you.
You'll find every officer and employee courte-
ous, the service prompt, and your account appre-
ciated.
Let us do business together.
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We pay 3% interest on savings and certificates of deposit.
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Cut Shows Model No. 8Y Note the Heat Arrows
1/3 to 1/2 Saving
Here's Your Opportunity to Help Save the Limited Coal Supply
Bake With Heat Now Lost Up the Chimney
This remarkable range takes advantage of Nature's law for heat to rise and thus the High Oven saves and bakes with the "waste or chimney heat" of the common type range. Note that the two oven flues start at the place where the smoke flue is connected to the chimney on other ranges. Why let half your fuel money fly up the chimney? You can easily save 1-3 to 1-2 in fuel bills and do away with one of your heating stoves with the efficient
Cole's High Oven Range
Put One in Your Home (Patented) See It on Ex-
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JOIN THE Y. M. C. A TODAY WHAT YOU GET

Volley Ball
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Use These Activities and Keep Fit, Live Longer and Better.

WHAT YOU PAY

Boys 10-13 \$3.50 per year Boys 13-16 \$5 per year Seniors 16 and up \$8 per year Sustaining \$10 and up

COUNTRY MEMBERS SPECIAL RATES

WHY JOIN?

WE HAVE TO HAVE YOUR MEMBERSHIP BECAUSE

1. We have lost a good bunch of our boys, who have gone into the country's service. You must help to fill their places.
2. We will never grow, if old friends quit as fast as we get new ones.
3. We have put in an extra bowling alley and gym apparatus to serve more members and to serve them better.
4. War is always followed by increase in the number of boys going wrong. The "Y" is a safeguard. We will increase boys' activities. That needs your continued support.
5. Y. M. C. A. War work; the Soldier's best friend at home or over seas, is possible only BECAUSE THERE IS A Y. M. A. AT HOME TO KEEP IT GOING AT THE FRONT. We won't forget our brave boys serving the country.

Dixon's Place in the Sun

Dixon's Membership is 435. There are 349 renewals in October and November. These we want back and enough new members to put us over 600.

LAST WEEK: Pontiac got 1140, Kankakee got 970 members. What Will Dixon Do? It's Up to You.

"Keep the Home Fires Burning"

SERVICE BUREAU FOR CO. M ESTABLISHED

(Continued from page 1)

day evening, Deputy Sheriff Schenholz and Attorney Harry Warner left for the camp with the tonneau of an automobile piled high with the needed articles—55 blankets and 20 sweaters having been obtained in the short time. These articles will be delivered to the boys who need them at Camp Grant this afternoon and as a result the Co. M barracks will be far more comfortable for the boys tonight.

The issue of the Telegraph containing the appeal for blankets had no more than gotten on the streets before charity inclined people of Dixon commenced to phone this office, offering needed supplies and during the evening and this morning many women brought their offerings to the Telegraph.

Ashton Responds.

(Special to Telegraph)

Ashton, Oct. 9—In quick response to the article in last evening's Dixon Telegraph, appealing for blankets for the Lee county boys at Camp Grant, the town of Ashton and residents of the community today sent a big auto load of quilts, comforters and blankets to the boys of Co. M, 342nd Inf., at Camp Grant. Oliver Griffith took the big load of bed clothing in his automobile, but the people here responded so generously there was too much for one machine and Fred Richardson will leave tomorrow with another load.

RELATIVES CLAIM BAKER MURDERED

(Associated Press Leased Wire)

Peoria, Oct. 9—Before Coroner Elliott opened an inquest this morning into the death of Jesse Barker, millionaire banker, found dead in the bathroom of his home Sunday, W. C. McRoberts, cousin of the dead man, stated relatives were satisfied he was murdered.

CHICAGO MARKETS

Simons, Day & Co., Chicago.

C. D. Anderson, Mgr.

Chicago, Oct. 9.

Corn—
Dec 119 3/4 119 3/4 117 3/4 118 1/2
May 115 1/2 115 1/2 113 1/2 114 1/4

Oats—
Dec 59 1/2 59 1/2 58 3/4 58 3/4
May 61 1/2 61 1/2 60 1/2 60 3/4

Receipts today—

Hogs 19,000. Open steady, top 1965.

Cattle 9,000. Steady.

Sheep 22,000. Steady.

Hogs close 5c lower, top 1960.

Estimated tomorrow—

Hogs 20,000.

Cattle 22,000.

Sheep 25,000.

Buenos Aires, Oct. 9—The Argentine government is not prepared to follow the action of Uruguay in severing diplomatic relations with Germany.

CENTRAL POWERS TO OFFER ANOTHER PLAN FOR PEACE, REPORT

(Associated Press Leased Wire)

Amsterdam, Oct. 9—Germany and Austria have agreed to make another peace offer to the allies, the Dutch Tages Zeitung of Berlin says it learns on good authority. It will have as a basis no territorial aggrandizement, the surrender of Belgian and French territory, renunciation of positive territorial acquisition or payments in money and no indemnity on either side.

INSPECTED STATUE FOR VICKSBURG PARK

C. H. Noble of Dixon, president of the Vicksburg Military Park association, returned on last evening from Greenwich, Conn., where in company with W. B. Munday, well known architect of Chicago, he went to inspect the model of the equestrian statue of Gen. John A. McClernand, commander of the 13th army corps at Vicksburg. The statue was designed and is being made by W. H. Potter, sculptor, and is to be placed on the site of McClernand's headquarters with completed. It was viewed in the clay by the committee of which Mr. Noble is a member to further assure its likeness to the General; his son, Brigadier General McClernand, retired, was invited to view it. Both the committee and son consider the statue as true to life and the work of making it of marble will be started.

ANTI-WAR SPEAKER IS FOUND GUILTY

(Associated Press Leased Wire)

Davenport, Ia., Oct. 9—Daniel P. Wallace, who on July 25 made an alleged unpatriotic address here, was last night found guilty by a federal jury of violating the espionage law. This is said to be the first conviction in the U. S. under the law, passed on June 25. The maximum penalty is 20 years in prison.

Washington, Oct. 9—General loans of \$40,000,000 each to Great Britain and France were made today by the government.

SOCIETY

To Knit for Lee Co. Boys
The Lee County comfort fund trustees have set aside a sum to buy yarn for the knitting of sweaters for the Lee County boys of Camp Grant who have need of them and Mrs. L. R. Evans, 516 N. Galena Avenue, and Mrs. Benjamin, 304 Peoria Ave., have been given charge of the distribution of the same to all knitters in the city who are interested in the welfare of the boys at Camp Grant. This is a project entirely separate from the Red Cross and every woman who can knit, whether of the Red Cross or not, is invited to make sweaters for the boys. The time for sweaters is upon us and it is hoped that the work will be rushed so that the many Lee County boys at Rockford in need of them may have them as soon as possible. It is to be understood that these are to go to the boys who need them and not to the boys whose families will see that they do not suffer. All those interested may secure yarn at the above mentioned places, or, if caring to do so to save the boys' fund, may purchase it themselves.

With Mrs. McKenney
Mrs. Bertha Backus, who has been the guest of Miss Mary Wynn, is spending the day with Mrs. Mary McKenney.

Candlelighters Meet
The Candlelighters of the First Presbyterian church will meet Friday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock at the home of Mrs. Samuel Gantz, 821 Peoria Avenue.

Guests from Sterling
Mr. and Mrs. Frank Wornell and children, of Rock Falls, and Mr. and Mrs. Maxwell, of Sterling, were guests today of Mrs. Lillian McGrath, Mrs. Wornell's mother.

Rebekah Lodge Meeting
A meeting of the Rebekah lodge will be held Friday evening at I. O. O. F. hall.

German Lutheran Aid
The Ladies' Aid of the German Lutheran church will meet at the church Thursday afternoon.

With Parents
Mrs. Wm. Schaefer and daughter Dorothy, of Chadwick, are guests of Mrs. Schaefer's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Brink.

Attending Convention
Rev. G. A. Graf is in Joliet attending the district convention of the German Lutheran churches.

Visiting in Ottawa
Mrs. Robert Teachout is spending a few days at the home of her son, Floyd Teachout, of Ottawa.

The soldiers find great relief from foot trouble by the use of Healo. This is an old remedy used by our soldiers in the civil war.

J. W. Lauren is in Kansas City for a few days as efficiency man in the construction of a wire mill.

Mrs. Clark and son, of Indiana, who are visiting Mrs. Clark's father, Ephraim Weigle, of Nachusa, and her cousin, Miss Lydia Weigle, of Franklin Grove, stopped in Dixon today.

"SERVE BY SAVING" THE AMERICAN WOMAN'S SLOGAN

Editor's Note: The articles appearing in this paper daily under the above caption are supplied by the Food Conservation Division of the Food Administration as a practical help to the American woman in "doing her bit".

SAVING HUMAN LIVES BY WHEAT

Why must we save wheat? Why are we told to use corn, rye, barley, and oats for ourselves so that our Allies may have our wheat? Can't they use the wheat substitute as well as we?

These are the thoughts of nearly every woman when she learns her country asks her to have one wheat less meal a day in order that we may increase our wheat export to our Allies from 88,000,000 bushels to 220,000,000 bushels. Only this increased supply of wheat will keep them from starving, we are told.

Is this so? Let us see. Everybody knows that even in peace time America has supplied England, France, Italy and Belgium with a large proportion of their breadstuffs. Now, with the ploughs standing idle in the fields over there, it is small wonder these countries are looking to America to give them nearly all of their bread-supply.

DIXON HIGH DOINGS

New Uniforms.

The suits for the football team have arrived and they are some class. The jerseys are purple, the pants are olive drab in color and the socks are red with a white band. Fourteen sweaters, pants, shoulder pads and socks were the gift to the varsity on Monday evening. The H. S. Athletic association put around \$200 in suits this year.

Monday evening the team had the first practice in the new suits and they looked more like a team. Clark Hess—Leave me alone.

Clarence—How much of a loan shall I leave you?

Light Occupations.

Lumberfoot Berry dancing a jig to the tune of Clarence Vaile.

Kings of the Rollers.

Among the many graceful ball-bearing artists that were seen at the skating rink Friday and Saturday nights, the following deserve honor:

If we could meet this enormously increased demand on us by sending them part corn meal instead of all wheat, matters would be greatly simplified. We have plenty of our corn and as we know from experience, this cereal can be made into delicious breads which, pound for pound, have every bit as much nutritive value as wheat breads.

But unfortunately, to ship corn meal to our Allies is impractical. In the first place, with the exception of Italy, our Allies are entirely unfamiliar with its usage. To ship them corn meal would be like sending silk stockings to the Eskimoes.

Moreover, it would be futile to try to teach them the use of corn meal for it spoils when shipped in large quantities. And, because, there are few corn mills over there, they could not grind the corn if we sent it in the kernels.

So, understanding the situation, let us all co-operate in having one wheatless meal daily. It will be easy for us to use corn, barley, rye, or oats in our muffins, rolls, and bread for one meal each day. And think what this small sacrifice on our part will mean to the Allies! It will mean they can have bread. And when people can have bread, they do not starve!

able mention: Bert Whitecombe, Goat Vaile, Chub Schuler and Lumberfoot Berry, the King of them all.

Notice.

Willard Countryman, former all-American skate champion, and Gerald Berry, present title holder, will pit their almighty strength against each other when they meet for the championship at Rice's skating rink on Friday night. A third person (a dark horse), Clarence Vaile will also make an attempt at the world's title. Summing up their fine qualities, Countryman is the best on straight-away, Berry is best on the bends, while Vaile has the reputation of cutting the corners and running his opponents into the wall. Walter Ebersol King W. Lard Whitecombe will referee the battle.

Music Today.

The music class met as usual this morning and had a very delightful session. Seville Crawford, Doris Winters, Utley Noble and Edward Mahan enthralled a large audience by their excellent quartet work.

Fare thee well, gentle reader, 'till another day.

WIT AND NEAR WIT

"My ancestors came over in the Mayflower, sir".

"Indeed, say two sons have just gone over in a transport".—Birmingham Age-Herald.

"Mottoes differ with the times".

"Huh?"

"When I was a youngster the slogan was 'Learn to say no'."

"Well?"

"Now the cry is 'Forget it.'"

Maid—"Mr. Jones, sir—him wot killed seventeen Germans in one trench with his own hands—as called for the gas accout, sir."—London Punch.

"Dubwaite is quite indignant over

the way European monarchs allow themselves to be bossed by their wives."

"Have you ever been to Dubwaite's home?"

"No. Why?"

"No henpecked king ever said, 'Yes, my dear,' with more meekness and humility than Dubwaite does."

—Birmingham Age-Herald.

Tired Tompkins—"Won't you give a veteran something to eat, mam?"

Lady of the House—"You are a veteran? You were never a soldier, I'll be bound."

Tired Tompkins—"Lady you do me an injustice. I have done nothin' but soldier all me life".—Boston Evening Transcript.

KNOX DERBYS

Have set the style pace for many years.



You are always sure of a Knox style being right.

Here is one of the new fall Blocks.

We have these styles priced from \$2.50 up featuring Splendid quality at \$3.00, \$3.50 and \$4.00.

VAILE AND O'MALLEY

WRIGLEY'S

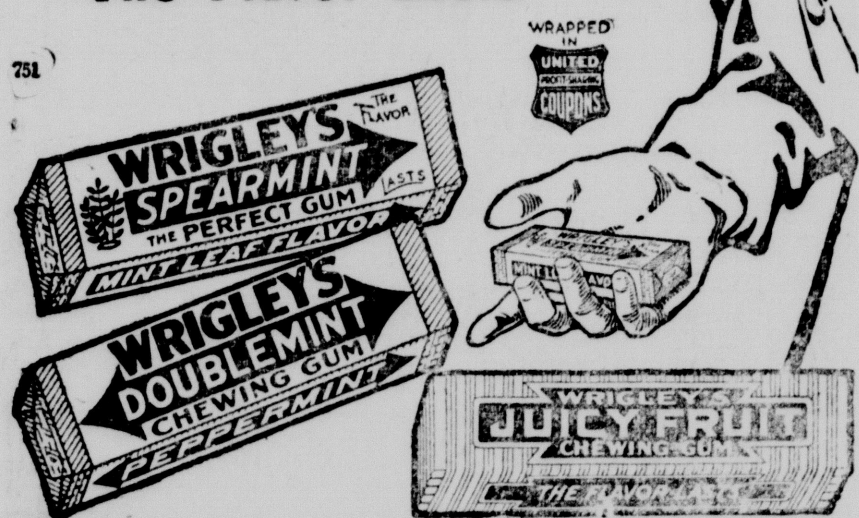
During convalescence, and when appetite lags

WRIGLEY'S

brings to the hot, dry mouth a freshness and a soothing balm that coaxes back the enthusiasm of health.

Thousands of soldiers in Europe have cause to thank Wrigley's, for it's tonic effect.

The Flavor Lasts



This Week We Will Sell

	Delivered	At Store
Potatoes, New York Rural style, pk 35c		33c
Bushel \$1 40		\$1.30
2 qt Mason Jars, per doz	90c	85c
1 qt Mason Jars, per doz	75c	70c
Best Canning Sugar, 10 lbs for	\$1.00	\$1.00
25 lbs Domestic Sugar	\$2.25	\$2.20
25 lbs Imported Sugar	\$2.40	\$2.35
100 lbs Domestic Sugar	\$8.50	\$8.40
100 lbs Imported Sugar	\$9.00	\$8.90
49 lb sack Ceresota Flour	\$3.10	\$3.00
24 1/2 lb sack Ceresota Flour	\$1.60	\$1.55

2 sack limit to an order until our Second Car arrives—then you may have what you want.

Keifer Pears, per bushel \$1.50 \$1.40

Keifer Pears, per peck 38c 35c

Dixon Grocery Co.

What \$35 can mean in fall coats and suits

This is a serious question. Some women buy a coat or suit simply because it looks good when first tried on.

But with these wonderful Wooltex models for fall we are catering to women who demand that a coat or suit be becoming, be authentic in style—and more.

That becomingness, that smart style must

stay—there must still be that fresh new appearance after several months of wear.

You may know that Wooltex coats and suits lead in the fashions of this fall. But that is not all. Thirty special features in the tailoring and the fabrics give you a coat or suit for all fall, even all winter, that will be a pleasure right up to the first days of spring.



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A new semi-military coat. Note the clever collar, and the jaunty effect of the buttons. Price\$35



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The double-breasted jacket of this smart suit brings out every slender line and gives a subtle touch of youth. Price\$35



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Here is the new straight-line effect at its best. Belted jacket with deep yoke both front and back. Price ...\$35



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One may be proud to wear this coat on any occasion. It is designed for the youthful feeling woman. Price...\$35

Silk and Wash

Satin Waists

We are featuring some very smart plaid and striped Silk Waists, also a plain Wash Satin in White only, stunning styles at....\$2.00 and \$5.98

We illustrate a few of the leading Wooltex models for \$35—there are many more here. The colors include all the most wanted shades for fall—cactus, pekin, damson, roman gold, elephant, taupe, as well as navy blue and black. The cloths run the range of fabricdom—silverlone, gunniburl, burella, Dublay and others equally charming.

Also our display is full of other Wooltex garments, some below \$35—others above.

Georgette Crepe

Waists

We are showing a new lot of "Welworth" Georgette Crepe Blouses at a popular price. Colors—Maise, Gray, Navy, Flesh, White, etc., price \$5.00

You will find the Wooltex label in every genuine Wooltex garment.

O. H. MARTIN & CO.

DIXON

The Store That Sells Wooltex Coats and Suits.

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SHEEP'S CLOTHING

CHAPTER XI.

From the manner of the room clerk Lydia inferred that the name of Thud-dous Craven was well esteemed by the management of the Great Eastern. Nor was this impression at all modified by the rooms to which she was shown—a suite so complete and luxurious in appointments that its appeal was strong to the sybaritic strain with which heredity had endowed the girl.

Toward six o'clock she dropped, worn out, into an armchair beside an open window in the living room. Wearing the girl's eyelids drooped. Insensibly she drowsed, drifting into a sort of halfwaking nightmare, wherein she with her father waged incessant war against powers of darkness, shapeless, featureless, inscrutably malign—

The last rays of the sinking sun flooded her face, even as it impregnated her dream, with the hue of blood. Twilight, succeeding, caught together the gaping arras of the sky. Minutes wove a web of hours—

Abruptly Lydia found herself on her feet, a low cry shuddering in her throat, aware that the room was ablaze with light, that she was no longer alone. Then, calming, she realized nothing more terrible than Craven's return.

He stood near the center of the room, staring, evidently at a loss to account for her agitation, his face slightly flushed yet lowering.

"Well?" he demanded sharply. "What the deuce is the matter with you?"

"You—you startled me," she faltered with a tremulous smile. "I must have fallen asleep, waiting for you—and then I had a horrible dream—"

Craven's look swept her from head to foot, captious and ugly. "You haven't dressed," he said—meaning that she hadn't changed for dinner. "Been asleep long?"

"Why—some hours, I presume. What time is it? It was just sunset, the last I knew."

"After nine o'clock now. Then you've had no dinner?"

Lydia shook her head. "I was waiting for you."

"You shouldn't have," he grumbled. "Thought I told you not to count on me. I've been busy of course, flying round all afternoon, getting Betty settled. Otherwise should have been home long ago."

"I have been worried about Betty—Mrs. Merrilees—"

"Oh, that business!" He smiled grimly. "It was over sooner than I expected. Unpleasant for her—to submit to being searched by a female inspector. But of course they found nothing, and had to let her go. And now she's threatening all manner of trouble."

"Then the necklace was really stolen? I'm so sorry!"

"Yes," Craven eyed her curiously for an instant. "Yes, it was stolen, right enough, and a clean-cut job, if you ask me. The thief must have been laying for somebody to buy the thing. He had the counterfeit all ready, of course."

"But that's what I don't understand." "Simplest thing in the world. Chance is he found the copy ready made to his hand. Nine out of ten of these smart Frenchwomen, like the original owner of the collar, have their best pieces duplicated in paste for public wear. Somehow or other he must have got hold of that. The only question is, when did he make the substitution? Betty swears it was the genuine article she received, and it hasn't been out of her possession since, except while in the purser's safe, and when I brought it to her, up there in the veranda cafe, day before yesterday. Looks as if it was up to the purser—unless you care to point the well-known finger of suspicion at me—or Peter?"

"How absurd!"

"Think so? Well, I'm glad you do, my dear. His humor had softened. Drawing near, he pinched her cheek affectionately. "Not that there's any reason for you to worry. Only, if Betty still wants to play Lady Bountiful at your wedding, she'll have to disburse the price of another necklace."

"Daddy! As if I thought of that!"

"Probably you don't, being yourself. Still—you'll marry some day, and pearl collars don't grow on every bough of orange blossoms."

"I'm not thinking of being married," Lydia murmured, looking away.

"Oh, I presume not—no more than the next girl of your age! Nothing doing with Peter Traff?"

"Oh, daddy! Don't be silly!"

Lydia met his gaze fairly and honestly, laughter in her eyes, and Craven accepted her disclaimer without question.

"Well, I'm sorry for Peter. He's a good boy—well off too. And he's mighty strong for you. Mustn't let your head be misled by Peter's reputation. Just because he's got the name of a gay young butterfly is no real reason why he shouldn't be in dead earnest this time."

"I wish you wouldn't say such things."

"Well—don't forget him, when you do come to think of marrying. And," Craven dismissed the subject abruptly, "of course you would be happier as mistress of your own establishment than—well—playing second fiddle to mine."

Had he slapped her the girl could hardly have suffered deeper pain and humiliation. He wanted to be rid of her! That truth was out at last. However kindly Craven's primal impulse deceived, the time had come when he

could or would no longer dissemble.

Her thoughts worked swiftly. Since he found her a drag, she must cease to be such at once—instantly—tonight. Until she could find some way to become self-supporting the hospitable doors of Mrs. Beggarstaff's home offered a haven where Lydia felt sure of finding a welcome, sympathy, affection.

With a brisk tread and a cheerful countenance Craven returned to the sitting room. "Hello! What's troubling my girl? Something on your mind, eh?"

She eyed him gravely. "Do you really want me to marry Peter Traff?" she demanded.

"Why consult my desires? You'll do as you please anyway—just as I did at your age. It's a good match, and if you find you care enough for the youngster," he raised his hands in mock benediction, "bless you, my children! But—upon my word—I never can tell about you women. Only two minutes ago—"

"That was when I still believed you wanted me with you, when I thought I might be a help to you, not an obstacle in the path of your happiness. Better to marry at once—the first bidder—and repent too late, if that must be—than to know I'm in your way."

"Liddy, my dear little girl!" The tone was fond, the smile indulgent; but with sharpened vision she saw through the pretense.

"No!" she cried passionately. "No! Don't—don't waste time trying to deceive me, daddy!"

Turning she stumbled blindly into her bedroom, shut the door, and threw herself across the bed, sobbing.

After some time the door latch clicked. "Liddy!"

The girl made no answer. She couldn't; she was struggling to hush her sobs.

"Liddy!" Craven came to her side, and sented himself on the bed. "Little girl," he said, with melancholy, "you've hurt me terribly, misjudged me so cruelly. But no matter. I realize that you don't understand."

He touched her hair caressingly. She suffered this without response. To-night her wits were keyed to a pitch of divination. Beneath the cloying tenderness in his accents she read the truth too clearly.

"I've just telephoned for dinner. It'll be up presently, and I want you to try to eat something. Get up, please, and dry your eyes, compose yourself, and be fair to me."

"Very well," Lydia said stiffly, without stirring.

With a final approving pat Craven rose. "Thank you, my dear," he said gently. He sighed, moved toward the door, but there paused. "By the way," he observed carelessly, "that thing I gave you the other night—the puzzle box—it is safe, I presume?"

"Yes," said Lydia, sitting up. "Do you want it?"

"If convenient."

Without another answer she rose and went to the bureau, found her handbag, produced the puzzle box, and silently, with averted face, gave it to her father.

His footsteps were audible crossing the sitting room. Then she heard him closing his bedroom door.

With some effort Lydia pulled herself together, rose, bathed her face and eyes with cold water, then sought her mirror to survey and repair as best she could the ravages of tears.

Abruptly the door to Craven's room flew open with an echoing bang, and she heard him call her in a voice instinct with mortal terror.

Startled, she turned and ran into the adjoining room, pulling up with a cry at sight of her father. His face, a stricken mask, mottled, ghastly, sweat



In One Quivering Hand He Held a Playing Card—a Knave of Diamonds.

stood out upon his forehead, his lips trembled, his eyes sick with fear. The hinges of his knees loosened, he swayed.

In one quivering hand he held a playing card—a knave of diamonds.

He enunciated with difficulty, "What—what—" With a half frantic gesture he tore at his collar. "Where did that come from?" he cried hoarsely. "How—how did it get in that d— box?"

He made a strangled sound, reeled, and fell back heavily into a chair, the card fluttering from his grasp to rest face upward at his feet.

"Daddy, what can I do? What's the matter? If only you'd speak to me!" Kneeling at her father's side in a passion of anxiety, she found a hand inert and frightfully cold.

His position unchanged, Craven wore every indication of complete physical collapse. A hand—his left—clutched

at his coat, above the neck.

But as Lydia moved to rise and telephone for the hotel physician the man stirred. His lips quivered. She bent near to catch their whisper:

"Brandy!"

"I'll order it at once."

But his fingers, knitted with hers, restrained her with singular strength and insistence. "No—bless on my bureau—"

"Yes, dear. Let me go and get it, won't you?"

"No—let me—all right now."

He managed to lift head and shoulders from the chair; then again collapsed, his fingers relaxing.

The bureau top in his bedroom was littered with a confusion of articles turned out haphazard from Craven's dressing case. For a moment Lydia searched the disarray, at a loss to single out anything resembling a flask. Then a low cry of stupefaction escaped her: in a clear space to one side the puzzle box lay open.

In its shallow oblong drawer, upon a layer of cotton wool, blazed the pearl and diamond collar stolen from Mrs. Merrilees—or the imitation?

But immediately the mystery and the wonder of this was lost in her solitude, and, another glance discovering a small leather-bound flask, she seized it and ran back to the other room.

Craven's eyes were open and, she fancied, informed with a look of almost frightened inquiry as she unstopped the flask, dashed a generous amount of brandy into a glass, and turned toward a silver water pitcher. But his husky whisper stayed her hand.

"No—straight—"

She put the glass to his lips, inventing it slowly while he gulped and spluttered.

"More!" he demanded with his first free breath. "A little water—"

After this second draft, which he drank unaided, he seemed more himself. For the first time he ceased to clutch his side; a little color crept back into his face. He remained silent, however, his gaze bent upon the knave of diamonds at his feet, his countenance darkly perplexed.

At length Lydia ventured anew. "What is it, daddy? Can't you tell me?"

"Heart," he muttered, "an old affection. Nothing to worry about; but that card keeled me over—rather!"

"But what—what does it mean?"

"You wouldn't understand. It's something secret, a code signal to me to—I wasn't expecting it in the box—"

That thought he left unfinished, mumbling something indistinguishable. But his eyes flashed toward his daughter's face, then were quickly averted.

"In the box with the necklace, you mean?" Lydia prompted evenly.

He wouldn't reply directly. "Gave me devil of a shock!" After a moment of silence he cried out in accents of exasperation. "But how in the name of God did it ever get there?"

A knock checked Lydia's reply. With a start Craven pulled himself together and rose.

"Mustn't let the waiter see me like this. You let him in—will you?"

He managed a slow but unwavering return to his room. When he was out of sight Lydia turned to the door, admitting the waiter with his heavy tray, signed for the meal, and tipped and dismissed the man.

CHAPTER XII.

The door had barely closed when Craven returned, now at least outwardly quite himself again. He brought with him the puzzle box, still open, the necklace exposed on its bed of cotton wool.

"You saw this in there just now, of course. I wonder," he mused, with a hint of remorse, "what you must have thought?"

"I thought," she told him stoutly, "what I still think: That you owe me an explanation."

"That's so; but first I'd like to get at this matter of the card—"

"Father," Lydia interrupted, a heightened color glowing in her cheeks, "are you still feeling ill?"

He questioned her with a look of surprise. "No," he said slowly. "I'm all right now—I presume. Why?"

"Then I think I must insist on your explanation. You forget how you've treated me—how you've deceived me, made me an accessory to a mean crime, how you've hurt me, shamed me—"

Checking her with a gesture and a word eloquent of deep pain, "Please!" he sighed desolately, dropped into a chair, and drew a hand wearily across his face. "Perhaps you're right; and I feel I owe you an apology even more than an explanation. Well, the fact is, I couldn't resist Betty. She was determined to snuggle, and she won me over; and, sure they'd catch her if anything was attempted in the usual way, I hit on the scheme of using you without your knowledge. Being an alien, you were too facile a convenience to be resisted. God forgive me—I lied to my girl!"

"But why need you have kept it up? Only a little while ago you were telling me how easily a thief might have secured the counterfeit!"

"That wasn't altogether fancy, you know," he insisted—as if a substratum of truth could mend the breach between them. "Betty herself used the counterfeit to fool the inspectors."

He bent forward and picked up the knave of diamonds, frowning thoughtfully.

"Is that all you have to say to me?" the girl persisted.

"What more can I say?" he expostulated, aggrieved. "I'm sorry. I deeply regret having deceived you. I apologize! What more do you want?"

Lydia gave a gesture of despair. "Nothing, I suppose—unless you will answer me one question honestly. Are you or are you not in the English secret service?"

Craven's face darkened. "My dear girl," he said slowly, "are you sure you've any right to talk to me in this tone? Admitting my actions may seem



"Is That All You Have to Say to Me?" the Girl Persisted.

unusual in your eyes. I'm your father, and not answerable to you. Neither do I concede your right to—ah—tear a passion to tatters—"

Too deeply moved for speech or tears, Lydia watched him with eyes of profound despondency.

"Well, what about this card? I've satisfied you, haven't I? How much longer do you mean to keep me waiting? And now he must lash himself into an insensate rage!"

"No longer," Lydia told him quietly. "I'm quite ready to tell you what little I know. And then perhaps you'll tell me whether Downing street employs Mr. Southpaw Smith, card sharper, and why—"

"Good heaven!" The exclamation was one of uncontrollable dismay. Unconsciously, perhaps, he clutched the edge of the table for support, and again his left hand stole toward his heart. "What's that you say? Smith! What do you know about him? What has he to do with this?"

"If you'll listen to me—"

Subsiding into a chair, Craven listened apathetically and without interruption to his daughter's succinct story of the attack and robbery, Quoin's intervention and recovery of the puzzle box.

She watched him as closely. Was he merely acting again? What was really working in the mind behind those inscrutable eyes?

"That's all I know," she concluded. "How the card got into the box I can't say—unless this man Smith put it there when he replaced the necklace at Mr. Quoin's direction. I presume a card sharper would have sleight of hand enough to do that undetected."

"It couldn't be worse," said Craven huskily, fingering the knave of diamonds.

He rose, moved unsteadily to the center table, and helped himself to the remainder of the brandy.

"You shouldn't have told me first thing," he mumbled.

"If you hadn't misled me, I shouldn't have hesitated an instant, father; but I was silly enough—it seems—to hope that by saying nothing I might ward off danger from you."

"Yes," he said simply. "It would have been better if I'd told you the truth. But, then, of course, you wouldn't have consented to bring the stuff in. And how was I to know they

were watching me so closely? How did they guess I'd—"

"They?"

He gave her a sullen glance. "Smith and Colonel Gordon. Gordon's the other crook's name—if Quoin forgot to tell you. Curse it! Why didn't you tell me this first?"

"Why? What difference—"

"No difference," he grumbled. "Too late; now mischief's done." He withdrew into morose contemplation of the knave of diamonds.

"What have such men to do with the secret service?" Lydia demanded abruptly.

"With the—ah—secret service?" He looked up blankly. "Why—nothing whatever! What makes you ask?"

"Then what were they after when they attacked me? Not the 'evidence' you talked about?"

"My dear child! What do you suppose? What but the loot—that necklace? They've been hot on Betty's trail from the moment it became known she had bought the thing from Caters."

"You confuse me so!" Lydia protested in bewilderment. "If they weren't connected with the secret service, if—if you had nothing whatever to do with them, why are you so afraid of them?"

"I? But—my dear child," Craven said indulgently, "you're quite mistaken. I'm no more afraid of them than of—well—say Mr. Collector Loeb."

Seated across the table from him, resting her elbows upon it, Lydia regarded her father with an expression in which were blended amazement, stupefaction, misery and uncertainty.

If Craven read her look, he refused to acknowledge it. With an air of thorough satisfaction he rose and, taking up the puzzle box, shut it with a snap, its treasure undisturbed.

Her eyes followed the puzzle box, which Craven was slipping into the side pocket of his coat, with an expression he was quick to interpret.

"This goes to Betty Merrilees as fast as a taxicab can take it," he announced promptly. "In fact, I stopped in only to get it on my way uptown."

"I'm glad of that," said Lydia, listlessly tracing an empty pattern on the table.

"If I'm late, don't fret about me, please. I'm quite all right now. Chances are I shan't have another turn like tonight's in several—"

A knock sounded on the door. He broke off with a start, and for half a minute stood motionless and silent, his mouth ajar, his eyes transfixed; then, recollecting himself, he said almost nonchalantly:

"Mind answering that? If it's anybody for me, say I'm out."

As Lydia rose he swung sharply back into his bedroom. When she turned back from the door she saw him poised alertly just within the threshold, his right hand buried in his coat pocket.

"A note for you—wants an answer. The helloboy's waiting."

With a nervous gesture Craven advanced and took the envelope, his breath quickening and brows clouding as he scanned the superscription—his name in ink and the room number in blue pencil. But for several seconds he seemed to hesitate. Then abruptly he ripped it open.

And this time he seemed to have been prepared; for he manifested no untoward emotion when he drew from the envelope a single playing card, the knave of clubs.

Drawing a deep breath, which might have been a sign of relief, Craven deliberately tossed the card face upward on the table. "You'll notice a pin puncture in the stem of the club, beneath the small J," he observed coolly. "That means one of my agents, on urgent business."

"I'll stay in my room with the door shut," Lydia volunteered.

"No—wasn't thinking of that; merely wondering if you could. You see, I'm likely to be detained by this chap—can't tell how long." He consulted his watch, frowning. "After ten now; I can't well call on Betty much later. How would you like to take a taxi to the Margrave, and give her this confounded collar?"

(TO BE CONTINUED)

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"It appears her parents had objected to her marrying Olsen, whom she had met only a few weeks before in Marseilles, where she lived. They decided to come to America and be married. Neither had money. "She and Olsen made their way overland to Bordeaux, where Olsen joined the vessel. He waited his time and smuggled the girl aboard and hid her away in a huge cask which had been stored in the lower hold of the vessel. Twice a day he brought her food, and at night he watched for her while she came on deck for exercise. "I sent for Olsen and told him the immigration authorities would not allow the girl to land. They seemed dejected. I then happened to think that the laws of the United States invested me with the power to perform a marriage ceremony. I then announced to all of the crew that there would be a wedding aboard the ship within an hour.

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Daily Thought. Do not hang your house round with tablets and pictures, but with the beauty of temperance.—Epictetus.

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Eat less meat if kidneys feel like lead or bladder bothers you—Meat forms uric acid.

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Youthful Philosophy. "My mother is much prettier than your mother," proudly declared Hazel. "No she isn't; she isn't half as pretty as my mamma. I've got the prettiest mother in the whole world!" proclaimed Nellie. Hazel was staggered for a moment and then complacently remarked: "Well, it isn't so much what we have as what we think we have that counts, I s'pose."

Cheese Mentioned in Bible. Cheese is mentioned only three times in the Bible and on each occasion under a different name in the Hebrew (Job, 10:10; I Samuel 17:18; II Samuel, 17:29). It is difficult to decide how far these terms correspond with our notion of cheese.



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Springs.....18
Ducks, White Pekin.....13
India Runner ducks.....10
Geese.....7
Turkeys.....13
Heavy Hens.....17

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CHICAGO & NORTHWESTERN RY.
Correct time of all passenger trains leaving Dixon. *Daily except where otherwise specified:

East Bound to Chicago.

No. Lv. Dixon	Ar. Chicago
24 6:41 a.m.	9:15 a.m.
6 3:28 a.m.	6:45 a.m.
28 7:23 a.m. dly ex Sun	10:40 a.m.
18 8:05 a.m.	11:00 a.m.
10 11:21 a.m.	2:00 p.m.
20 11:01 a.m. dly ex Sun	2:25 p.m.
4 4:11 p.m. dly ex Sun	7:30 p.m.
109 4:15 p.m. Sun only	7:35 p.m.
12 6:10 p.m.	8:45 p.m.

West Bound.

No. Lv. Chicago	Ar. Dixon
5 7:00 a.m. ex Sun	10:20 a.m.
99 7:10 a.m. Sun only	10:26 a.m.
13 10:45 a.m.	1:18 p.m.
19 12:15 p.m. dly ex Sun	3:39 p.m.
27 3:45 p.m. dly ex Sun	7:03 p.m.
11 6:05 p.m.	8:40 p.m.
25 6:10 p.m.	9:04 p.m.
x17 9:40 p.m.	12:11 a.m.
7 10:00 p.m.	12:28 a.m.
3 11:20 p.m.	2:22 a.m.

No. Lv. Dixon Ar. Peoria

No. Lv. Dixon	Ar. Peoria
801 8:30 a.m.	12:05 p.m.
xTrain 17. Stops only for passengers for Canyon, Wyo., and beyond, or for Des Moines sleeping passengers.	
ILLINOIS CENTRAL RY.	
Correct time of all trains leaving Dixon that carry passengers and freight. *Daily. *Daily except Sunday.	
South Bound.	
119 Local Exp. dly ex Sun	7:20 a.m.
123 Southern Exp.	11:10 a.m.
131 Clinton Exp.*	5:09 p.m.
North Bound.	
122 Ft. Dodge Exp.*	9:53 a.m.
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The following clipping from a South Bend, Ind., paper, concerning John Hogan, former shortstop for the Dixon Brunswicks in the old City league, will be of interest to his many friends here:

Hogan, another Bender, states that he will play class A ball next year, having several offers under consideration.

The third game of the Elkhart Blue Sox-Togers Greys series went to the latter aggregation yesterday when Slabaugh outpitched O'Connor and turned in a 4 to 3 victory. The game was the fastest that has been staged on the local diamond this year, taking one hour and 35 minutes.

In the opening session Hogan, Bowman and Wents scored thru hard hitting and daring base running. The visitors tied the score in their half of the second, both teams then settled down. In the eighth inning Hogan tripled to deep center and scored on a hard drive from Bowman's bat. Sensational fielding and hard hitting by Hogan, Wents, Newman and Slabaugh featured the game.

spending a few weeks at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Scott.

Miss Edna Green entertained the Sunday School class of which she is a member, at her home west of town last Saturday afternoon. The time was spent in games and music and enjoying the refreshments which were served by Mrs. Green and sister, Miss Winnie McCracken.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Spinger and family have moved to Rockford.

D. Egerer is employed as janitor of the Illinois Central depot which position Mr. Spinger resigned.

The old repair shop located at the rear of the home of Mrs. L. Ersfeldt has been torn down.

Mrs. Nellie Harding of Chicago was a guest of Mrs. Duer Badger last week.

Howard Weaver is employed at the Illinois Central coal chute.

Misses Pearl and Vella Dishong spent a few days in Peoria.

Edward, George and Leroy Fisher were called here to attend the funeral of their aunt, Miss Anna Fisher, who passed away at the home of her brother, T. B. Fisher, Sept. 27, after a long illness. Funeral October 1, at 2 p. m., with interment at Prairie Rest cemetery. Rev. J. H. Hughes of the Baptist church officiating.

Miss Elizabeth Cooley of Aurora was a recent guest at the home of Mrs. W. A. Green.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Remsburg has gone to Florida to spend the winter.

W. V. Beresford and sister, Miss Della, have gone to Ohio, where they will visit at the homes of Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Fisher, at Akron, and Mr. and Mrs. C. Moore at Cleveland.

Mr. and Mrs. Burt Schneider and family of Oregon were recent visitors at the home of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Boyce.

Charles Gentry has established a milk route in this city, with an up-to-date delivery.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Wedlock accompanied Mr. and Mrs. James Wedlock and son to Camp Grant last Sunday.

Miss Ruth Wooster has returned home from a visit in Harmon.

Paul Doty, an employee of the Amboy First National Bank, has enlisted in Chicago.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Smith and Miss Mabel Entorf are enjoying camp life in Glen Park.

Mrs. W. W. Wilson of Washington, D. C., spent a few days with her mother Mrs. H. Moore.

Mrs. Philip Flach, who was visiting relatives in this vicinity, returned to her home in Clinton last week.

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